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SUBJECT: APARTHEID AND DAVIS CUP

REF: CAPE TOWN 0614

1. INDIAN PRESS OF OCTOBER 10 HAS REPORTED, WITHOUT EDITORIAL COMMENT, WARNING BY DAVIS CUP NATIONS COMMITTEE SECRETARY BASIL REAY THAT INDIA RISKS EXPULSION FROM COMPETITION IN REFUSING TO PLAY SOUTH AFRICA. ALL INDIA LAWN TENNIS ASSOCIATION HONORARY SECRETARY R.H. KHANNA STATED THAT HE HAD INFORMED LONDON MEETING OF DAVIS CUP NATIONS COMMITTEE LAST JULY THAT INDIA WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO PLAY AGAINST SOUTH AFRICA AT ANY STAGE OF THE COMPETITION VIEW SOUTH AFRICA'S APARTHEID POLICY. KHANNA ADDED THAT THERE IS CLAUSE IN DAVIS CUP RULES PREVENTING EXPULSION OF A NATION ON "SOME PRETEXT OR OTHER." KHANNA CHARACTERIZED EXPULSION THREAT AS "UNFORTUNATE TO SAY THE LEAST."

2. COMMENT: INDIAN REFUSAL TO PLAY SOUTH AFRICA IS UN-
LIKELY TO AROUSE GREAT CONTROVERSY HERE SINCE OPPOSITION TO
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